

September 15, 2023



Early Voting Begins September 22

There are many local and state offices on the ballot for voters to consider this Election Day (11/7). Voters who wish to cast their ballots early may do so beginning next Friday (9/22) through Saturday, November 4, at the Voter Registrar's Office locations in Washington Square Shopping Center and Victory Village Shopping Center during <u>posted</u> office hours. The Voter Registrar has a dynamic website full of helpful information,

including sample ballots by precinct, registration and absentee ballots, and a list of important deadlines. Questions? Call the Registrar's Office at 757-890-3440.

Shop the Market, Tour a Buyboat this weekend at Riverwalk Landing

Saturdays are meant for shopping! At tomorrow's (9/16) Yorktown Market Days from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m., pounce on the chance to purchase fresh, seasonal produce, homemade baked goods, plants, meat, seafood, handcrafted artwork, and more from local vendors and artists. The Clan MacCool Gang performs maritime music on the Riverwalk Landing stage beginning at 9 a.m.



Oh buoy, have we got an event for you! This weekend (9/16 - 9/17), the Chesapeake Bay Buyboat Association is sailing into Historic Yorktown for its annual Buyboat Tour. Visitors can hop aboard the decks from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. to hear stories about the captains' amazing sea adventures and the boats' historical significance.

Rock Out at Rhythms on the Riverwalk

Get ready to party with the Michael Clark Band at our next Rhythms on the Riverwalk concert from 6:30 to 8: 30 p.m. next Thursday (9/21). This local group plays a variety of musical styles including blues, Motown, disco, pop, and funk. Grab dinner before the show at restaurants on Water Street or purchase snacks and dinner offerings from well-known food trucks. Hitch a ride to Riverwalk Landing on the Yorktown Trolley until 9 p.m.



12th Annual Yorktown Art Stroll Coming Up

Approximately 50 artists are participating in next Sunday's (9/24) <u>Yorktown Art Stroll</u> in and around the Freight Shed at Riverwalk Landing. A wide range of art will be for sale, including paintings, glasswork, photography, jewelry, woodwork, and more. This free

event is held from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., rain or shine. Listen to the acoustical sounds of Audio Portrait from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. on the Riverwalk Landing Stage. The Yorktown Art Stroll is presented by the Yorktown Arts Foundation and York County with support from the York County Arts Commission. A list of artists appearing at this year's Art Stroll is available in this week's press release.

Kiln Creek Playground/Wormley Creek Landing Closing for Maintenance

The Department of Public Works is busy with projects! The playground at Kiln Creek Park and the parking lot at Wormley Creek Boat Landing are closing for routine maintenance starting Monday (9/18). Work is expected to last anywhere from one to four days, depending on weather and the time it takes the materials to cure. Thanks for your patience while this work is underway.

Upcoming Library Programs for Adults

Local and aspiring writers are encouraged to attend Tabb Library Writers' Meetup, held on the 3rd Tuesday of each month. The monthly meetup, held this month on September 19th from 6:30 to 7:45 p.m., provides writers a space to work on their projects, offer and receive critiques, and even to meet other local writers. No registration required.

Join us on the 3rd Wednesday of each month from 1:30pm - 3:00 pm for Memory Café at the Tabb Library. The next session is on September 20th from 1:30-3:00 PM. This social gathering is for anyone personally affected by memory loss and their care partners. RSVP is not required and there is no cost to attend. Find more information about these and other upcoming events on the library's calendar on their website.

Additional Notes for the Week...The public is invited to the **Fire Station 7 dedication ceremony** Tuesday (9/19) at 3 p.m. at 5684 Mooretown Road. Tours of the station will be offered following the ceremony. An informational open house about the possible construction of a **sidewalk along Villa Way** is also on Tuesday (9/19) from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at Mt. Vernon Elementary School (310 Mt. Vernon Drive).



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